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## Lawrence T. Geraty Appointed to the California Postsecondary Education Commission

SACRAMENTO — October 16, 2007 — Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger has appointed Lawrence T. Geraty, Ph.D., of Riverside, to the California Postsecondary Education Commission. Most recently, Dr. Geraty served as president and chief executive officer for La Sierra University from 1993 to 2007. He previously was president of Atlantic Union College from 1985 to 1993 and an archeology professor for Andrews University from 1966 to 1985. Prior to that, he served as a minister for the Southeastern California Conference of Seventh-day Adventists from 1962 to 1966. Dr. Geraty is the former president of the American Schools of Oriental Research and is a member of the Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities. He is also a member and former chair of the Greater Riverside Chamber of Commerce.

*The California Postsecondary Education Commission advises the Governor and Legislature on higher education policy and fiscal issues. The Commission's primary focus is to ensure that the state's educational resources are used effectively to provide Californians with postsecondary education opportunities.*